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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Washington, Jan. 8.—For Kansas:
Forecast till 8 p. m. Thursday: Fair
followed by increasing cloudiness in eastern portion, somewhat colder Tuesday;
variable winds.

THE supreme court has decided the famous Symms grocery case. The old board of railroad commissioners reduced the rates on car load lots of beans, sugar, coffee and canned goods to interior points, but did not change the rates on this class of goods in less than car load lots, and ordered that the reduced rates go into effect March 16, 1892. The Symms Grocery company secured an injunction in district court of Atchison county on the grounds that the order discriminated against shippers of less than car load lots. The Santa Fe appealed the case to the supreme court which has now decided that a shipper has not the right to enjoin the state board of railroad commissioners and dissolved the injunction, while the reasonableness of the rates complained of was not passed on.

Some Republicans who ought to know enough to be in better business, do more to create dissatisfaction in the party by their constant whining about mysterious "lates," than can ever be atoned for by all the good words they ever said for the party or for its candidates. The present session seems to be profitless in that kind of disuse. Will the groundhog of it please take a dose of liniment or vomitinger? This is no year for the whiner. We need cohesion, no dissension. We need enthusiasm, not slacking. The man who furnishes ammunition to us against the enemy is our friend, rather than the man who furnishes the ammunition to the enemy to use against us.—Minneapolis Messenger.

To the above Ben Murlock says in his Eldorado Republican:

We are sick and tired of those who are forever trying to make believe that the Republican party can do no wrong. Had there been greater independence and less subservience among Republican newspapers there would have been no People's party.

A political party is composed of all kinds of people, widely divergent upon moral, moral and social lines.

A voter, having deposited his ballot at an election in support of a party ticket, is morally and politically relieved from any further connection with that party.

On entering upon a new campaign each citizen has a perfect right to outline his political views without molestation or restraint; and if he is a good party member it is his duty to express his choice of candidates and define his views upon all political questions. He is held here on the charge of being a scoundrel character.

Atchison lately by men getting down stairs, says the Globe.

The boys at the State Normal in order to ridicule the faculty for abolishing football have gone to playing marbles, so "last lag" has superseded "fourth down" in college vernacular.

Such a swell party was given at Green-
ell Grove the other night that the Courier
gave a full description of all the ladies'
costumes, not forgetting the "diamonds,
pearls and rubies." The woman who
only had a mackintosh, didn't have a good
time at all.The doctor told a Wichita man that his
mother-in-law couldn't live, and so to
facilitate matters he went to the undertaker's
once and bought a coffin, saying
he would be so busy in the afternoon
that he couldn't attend to it. The old
lady looked him through by not dying
and so he got his money back.

MAKING READY.

Republican Leaders of This District to
Meet at Emporia Tomorrow.There will be a meeting of the Repub-
lican leaders of the Fourth congressional
district, at Emporia tomorrow afternoon
at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of talking
over the situation and making plans for
the coming campaign.There will be no opposition to the re-
nomination of Congressman Curtis, but
the Populists will endeavor to give him
a harder race than he had two years ago. S. M. Scott, state
treasurer of the Alliance, who formerly
lived at McPherson, has moved to Emporia
for the understood purpose of making
the race for congress against Curtis,
and he will no doubt receive the Populist
nomination.In addition to calling the congressional
meeting together, Chairman Troutman
has asked all those interested in the suc-
cess of the party in the fifteen representa-
tive districts to be present and make
plans for the campaign.

LOOKING AFTER HIS EGGS.

Governor Lewelling Goes to Work on
Commission Business.Governor Lewelling has ceased "go-
ing around" for a few days, and is attending
to his butter and egg business.Some time ago his Wichita firm sent a
car load of butter and eggs to Salt Lake City,
and they are having some trouble in
selling them, so the governor thought if he
could get the people of Utah to understand
that the governor of the territory of Utah
said that it would be a long time before
they could get Kansas butter and eggs
again from this state, he would be able
to sell the car load lot at once.The governor will be absent from the
executive office about a week.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Lewelling.

CHARLIE HOLLIDAY THERE

It Is Said He Might Take the United
States Marshalship.Washington dispatches say that Charlie
Holliday is there and is in the fight for
the marshalship for Kansas.The delay over the appointment of
Walker's successor, and the fact that
there is a bitter fight between the
applicants, strengthens the idea that per-
haps a dark horse may get the appoint-
ment.Charlie Holliday is probably there,
however, in connection with the work of
the national World's fair commission and
not in the race for the marshalship.United States Marshal Walker's resigna-
tion has been accepted and he will be
relieved of duty as soon as his successor
is appointed.

A MEDIUM ARRESTED.

Jesse Wallace Taken In by the Police at
Washington.WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Jesse Wallace,
a spiritualistic medium gave a séance at
Typographical hall last night and about 200
people paid ten cents each to witness
the performance. Assistant Dis-
trict Attorney Pugh, having been advised
that Wallace was a "fakir," wrote
out a warrant for the arrest of the medi-
um.After the performance, the officer
stepped upon the platform and placed
Wallace under arrest.It is said Wallace has been chased out
of San Francisco, Honolulu, Portland,
Denver, Kansas City and St. Louis in con-
nection of being a fakir; and that he is now
wanted in the latter city by the police.
He is held here on the charge of being a
scandalous character.

WON'T COUNT A QUORUM.

Speaker Crisp Doesn't Want to Initiate
Speaker's Tactics.WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Quite a number
of Democrats during the four days of
last week urged Speaker Crisp to count
a quorum, and thus get the house out of
its present tangle.To all such suggestions, the speaker
sternly rebuked them, as he was one of
the men of the fifty-first congress, who made
a right on Reed for counting a quorum.It was then that he quoted Reed against
Reed and appealed from "Philip Frank
to Philip Soper."

Speaker Crisp would not care to have

the quotation revised and turned on him-
self. He holds that with the large ma-
jority which the party has, with a rule
effectually shutting out the filibusterers,
there is no necessity for proceeding to
such extremity.

DEMAND THEIR RIGHTS.

Democratic Senators Want to Know What
Goes Into the Wilson Bill.WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—It is said that
some of the Democratic senators have
been interesting themselves to some ex-
tent in the fight when it is in progress in
the house, and the leaders have been
advised that what the members who are
fighting the bill ask for, as to whether
the income tax is to be made a part of
the measure or not, ought to be made
known to them.Senator Hill, it is said, has advised
Speaker Crisp that the party was entitled
to know how much was incorporated in
the bill.Quite a contrast is presented by the
fact that western Democrats are opposing
consideration of the tariff, because
they are afraid an income tax will be
made a part of the bill and western Pop-
ulists afraid it will not be.Some men still have greatness thrust
upon them—Ottawa's "popular butcher"was on the train which was robbed near
Coffeyville.The cold wave wasn't very cold, but it
was sufficient to bring out the wear
points in character—a Salina man has
begun to ask, "Is this cold enough for
you?"An additional argument in favor of
having joints on the first floor, is that
a number of limbs have been fractured in

HE IS DOOMED.

Dan Coughlin Guilty of Cronin's
Murder,If the Testimony of Bardeen Is
True.

HE SAW DAN COUGHLIN

On the Night of May 4, 1889,
at Edgewater,Accompanying the Wagon That
Carried the Trunk.Why did you say you did not know
then?I don't know where he was," the wit-
ness repeated stubbornly.Bardeen's statement that the moon was
shining at 2 o'clock on the evening in
question was apparently proved to be at
fault, a calendar showing that the moon
set about 11:30 o'clock. The witness ad-
mitted that he might be mistaken, but
insisted that he well thought that he saw
the moon at 2 o'clock.

SALOONS COME BACK.

Tenn's Legislature Meets Today to Kill
Prohibition.Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 8.—Both branches
of the legislature assembled at noon
today. Each is overwhelmingly Repub-
lican, and as a consequence the election
of a senator that political faith to succeed
Hon. James F. Wilson, whose term
expires March 3 of the coming year is
assured.This, however, will not be the only im-
portant business of the legislature. The
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